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Abbreviations, Acronyms, and Symbols

§303(d)	Refers to Section 303 subsection (d) of the Clean Water Act, or a list of impaired water bodies required by this section	CWA	Clean Water Act
μ	micro, one-one thousandth	CWAL	cold water aquatic life
§	Section (usually a section of federal or state rules or statutes)	CWE	cumulative watershed effects
ADB	assessment database	DEQ	Department of Environmental Quality
AWS	agricultural water supply	DO	dissolved oxygen
BAG	Basin Advisory Group	DOI	U.S. Department of the Interior
BLM	United States Bureau of Land Management	DWS	domestic water supply
BMP	best management practice	EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
BOD	biochemical oxygen demand	F	Fahrenheit
BOR	United States Bureau of Reclamation	FPA	Idaho Forest Practices Act
Btu	British thermal unit	FWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
BURP	Beneficial Use Reconnaissance Program	GIS	Geographical Information Systems
C	Celsius	HUC	Hydrologic Unit Code
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations (refers to citations in the federal administrative rules)	I.C.	Idaho Code
cfs	cubic feet per second	IDAPA	Refers to citations of Idaho administrative rules
cm	centimeters	IDFG	Idaho Department of Fish and Game
		IDL	Idaho Department of Lands
		IDWR	Idaho Department of Water Resources
		INFISH	The federal Inland Native Fish Strategy

km	kilometer	NTU	nephelometric turbidity unit
km²	square kilometer	PCR	primary contact recreation
LA	load allocation	PFC	proper functioning condition
LC	load capacity	ppm	part(s) per million
m	meter	RHCA	riparian habitat conservation area
m³	cubic meter	RMI	DEQ's river macroinvertebrate index
mi	mile	SBA	subbasin assessment
mi²	square miles	SCR	secondary contact recreation
MGD	million gallons per day	SFI	DEQ's stream fish index
mg/L	milligrams per liter	SHI	DEQ's stream habitat index
mm	millimeter	SMI	DEQ's stream macroinvertebrate index
MOS	margin of safety	SSC	suspended sediment concentration
MRCL	multiresolution land cover	STATSGO	State Soil Geographic Database
MWMT	maximum weekly maximum temperature	TMDL	total maximum daily load
n.a.	not applicable	TP	total phosphorus
NA	not assessed	TSS	total suspended solids
NB	natural background	U.S.	United States
NFPR	North Fork Payette River	U.S.C.	United States Code
NFS	not fully supporting	USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System	USFS	United States Forest Service
NRCS	Natural Resources Conservation Service	USGS	United States Geological Survey

- WAG** Watershed Advisory Group
- WBAG** *Water Body Assessment
Guidance*
- WLA** wasteload allocation
- WQLS** water quality limited segment
- WQS** water quality standard